

Soviet Airline Manager In Holland Held as Spy

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THE HAGUE, April 12—The head of the Soviet airline Aeroflot here, Vladimir Alexeyevich Gloukhov, was charged tonight with an "abortive attempt to obtain Dutch state secrets."

Detectives seized him earlier today on a street in Amsterdam and bundled him into a car after a struggle.

The charge was announced by The Hague Public Prosecutor, W. J. Kolkert, who spent several hours questioning the Russian. Kolkert said it was presumed that Gloukhov's attempted espionage activities lasted several months.

The Netherlands government rejected a protest by the Soviet Embassy here against Gloukhov's arrest.

Under Dutch law the charges on which he was held carry a maximum prison sentence of six years.

Gloukhov, about 30, had just left an Amsterdam dairy store when three detectives grabbed him and threw him into a car.

The Dutch News Agency said the Russian's wife

screamed and passersby ran to help him because they thought he was being kidnaped, but stopped when the detectives identified themselves.

The detectives then called police to help force Gloukhov into the car, where two detectives reportedly sat on him to hold him down.